

THE ENTERPRISE.

The high banks seem to leave the river and stretch away to the N.N.E. and N.N.W. until between twenty to thirty miles apart. The intervening space, 100 miles in length, is annually inundated, as Lower Egypt is by the Nile. The valleys are fertile and are used for growing crops. The pasturage of large herds of cattle during a portion of the year. There are many villages of Makolo in the valley; but there are no large towns. Narielle, the capital of the Barotse country, does not contain more than a few hundred inhabitants. We went north till we came to the head of the lake, and then turned west to the stream Leomany in 11 degrees 11 minutes S. latitude. On returning below Narielle, I went to the eastern

ITALIAN IMMIGRANTS.

To the Editor of the Sydney Morning Herald.

Sir,—I am pleased to see that Mr. Porter has noticed my letter in the *Herald* of yesterday, because it gives me the advantage of a reply, and in following the course which Mr. Porter proposes to pursue, I shall drop further correspondence, and, as Mr. Porter suggests, leave the question to be judged of by the public.

First, as to Mr. Goings's case. Mr. Porter, in his letter of the 2nd instant, which appeared in the *Herald* of the 3rd, says: "A committee has been formed, and

Yours obediently,
ARTHUR T. HOLROYD.
Sydney, May 5, 1855.

P.S.—Since writing the above, I have shown this letter to Mr. Goings and Mr. Smith, of 146 Bleecker street.

pelled to protect the interest of the Crown against his own, in making reserves from sale of such lands for the public benefit as may be required for townships, roads, &c.; that, properly speaking, it is the present Commissioner's duty, and which that officer, if he is a man of sense, can know nothing at all about; neither can it be expected that the licensed surveyor will consult the interest of the public when he obtains neither dignity nor credit, and his services and judgment totally lost sight of, or made use of by others, the Commissioners receiving the salary of a Deputy Commissioner, and the Surveyor being the only one for such an office, and the Surveyor *the actual and really working man*.

colony for agricultural purposes, is in the hands of a few, and had Messrs. Ralfe and Hodgkinson's survey been adopted and selections made the M'Leay would ere this have been one of the most populous and prosperous rivers in the

2. Its connection with the gold interest.

that British transports should carry French troops to

ngland, will prove to be a rope of sand not worth the paper upon which it is inscribed.—N. Y. *Courier and Enquirer*, 23rd December.

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